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# Correspondence from H. Metcalf to General Hodsdon

H. W. Metcalf

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Pamaniscotta Aug. 21. 1862  
 Gen. John L. Hodsdon  
 Adj. General  
 Dear Sir

The following are  
 copies of discharges exam-  
 ined by the undersigned  
 yesterday and today  
 viz. "Andrew Morang Co.  
 B. 11<sup>th</sup> Me. Reg. discharged  
 July 16. 1862 at Augusta  
 by reason of Surgeon's cer-  
 tificate of disability  
 residence Whitefield  
 signed J. W. T. Gardiner  
 Major & Military  
 Commander"

"Wesley C. Eskine private  
 Co. G. 15<sup>th</sup> Me. Reg. enrolled  
 6<sup>th</sup> Jan'y and discharged  
 May 22. 1862 at Augusta"

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By reason of Surgeon's certificate of disability—residence Bristol.

Signed J. W. T. Gardiner  
Major "Milt" Corn.  
endorsed "To be discharged by  
order of Geo. D. Hughes

A. D. S.

A. G. office May 16. 1862 "

The following soldiers from  
Whitefield are reported  
discharged and are absent  
from their several homes  
so that I could not see them

viz— "Ruel Heath 3<sup>rd</sup> Ms. Reg.  
"Hartley B. Kincaid unknown  
Chas W. Place Co. A. Shank  
shooters—

the latter resides in Cal-  
verell. —

Jeaneau Aitenas  
Robinson Co. E. 4<sup>th</sup> Ms. Reg.

a paroled prisoner of War  
before reported, is at home  
in this town awaiting your  
orders -

I am using my best  
efforts for the arrest of  
known deserters -

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt. Servt.  
H. W. Metcalf

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H. W. Metcalf  
Dana's estate  
Aug. 21<sup>st</sup> / 62